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Applicant's communication containing a case-law, *In re Arkley*, has been received and considered, but it failed to overcome the rejection.

The period for reply expires three months from the mailing date of the final rejection as stated in the advisory action mailed on August 27, 2002.

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If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Vasu Jagannathan, can be reached on (703) 306-2777. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is (703) 305-5408.

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